

# House File 634 - Introduced

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## A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the possession of certain weapons by a private  
2 investigator or private security officer licensed in this  
3 state.  
4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:  
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1 1 Section 1. Section 724.2, Code 2007, is amended by adding  
1 2 the following new subsection:  
1 3 NEW SUBSECTION. 10. A private investigator or private  
1 4 security officer licensed pursuant to chapter 80A who  
1 5 possesses a professional permit to carry weapons issued  
1 6 pursuant to section 724.6.  
1 7 Sec. 2. Section 724.4, subsection 4, Code 2007, is amended  
1 8 by adding the following new paragraph:  
1 9 NEW PARAGRAPH. 1. A private investigator or private  
1 10 security officer licensed pursuant to chapter 80A who  
1 11 possesses a professional permit to carry weapons issued  
1 12 pursuant to section 724.6.  
1 13 Sec. 3. Section 724.4B, subsection 2, paragraph a, Code  
1 14 2007, is amended to read as follows:  
1 15 a. A person listed under section 724.4, subsection 4,  
1 16 paragraphs "b" through "f", or "j", or "l".

### EXPLANATION

1 18 This bill relates to the possession of certain weapons by a  
1 19 private investigator or private security officer licensed in  
1 20 this state.

1 21 The bill allows a private investigator or private security  
1 22 officer licensed pursuant to Code chapter 80A to possess an  
1 23 offensive weapon when the person's duties or lawful activities  
1 24 require or permit such possession if the person possesses a  
1 25 professional permit to carry weapons issued pursuant to Code  
1 26 section 724.6. Current law also requires a person armed with  
1 27 a revolver or pistol concealed upon the person to have in the  
1 28 person's immediate possession a permit to carry weapons  
1 29 pursuant to Code section 724.5.

1 30 The bill allows a private investigator or private security  
1 31 officer licensed pursuant to Code chapter 80A to go armed,  
1 32 carry, or transport a firearm of any kind, whether concealed  
1 33 or not, including on school grounds. "School" means a public  
1 34 or nonpublic school as defined in Code section 280.2.

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